Statement

Estimates of stocks of Graduates in 1981, 1985 *and* 1990

Category of Graduates (including Postgraduates)	Stock at the beginning of the year			Average Annual (Compound) growth rate during 1985-90
	1981	1985	1990	
	—(in thousands)—			percentage
1. Science	1,726.9	2,128.5	2,759.4	5.33
2. Medical	219.5	253.4	290.2	2.75
3. Technical (Engineering)	304.9	375.6	512.2	6.40
4. Others £	5,759.1	7,564.2	10,330.8	6.43
All categories	8,010.4	10,321.7	13,892.6	6.12

£ Includes graduates and postgraduates in nursing, dentistry, agriculture, veterinary science, arts, commerce and other subjects.

Source : IAMR.

Provident fund dues of employees

491. SHRI DHULESHWAR MEENA: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that amount worth Crores of rupees is yet to be deposited by Grasis, Hindalco, Indo-Gulf Fertilizers and Indian Rayon towards Provident Fund of their employees with the concerned Regional Provident Fund Commissioner's Offices of their various units;

(b) if so, what are the details of such amount which the said companies are to deposit till date; and

(c) the action taken by Government in this regard?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR (SHRI PABAN SING GHATOWAR): (a) to (c) Informations is being collected and will be placed on the Table of Rajya Sabha.

Guaranteed daily employment scheme

492. SHRI MURLIDHAR CHANDRAKANT BHANDARE: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government are contemplating to introduce a guaranteed daily employment scheme to tackle the problem of unemployment; and

(b) if so, what are the details thereof?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR (SHRI PABAN SING GHATOWAR): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.